



## LIVE SPENT HEAVY FOWL

Prices are trending steady. Supplies are moderate to heavy for the mostly moderate demand. Processing schedules increased slightly. Finished product supplies are adequate. Market activity is moderate with retail feature activity light with best interest being in the Northeast region.

### Final Prices at Farm Buyer Loading: Price Range Wtd Avg

Prices in cents per pound. 11.0 - 22.5 14.23

(Southeast Region broiler breeder hens generally for processing, 7 lbs. and up; under 7 lbs. subject to discount.)

Southeast Region = AL, FL, GA, KY, MS, NC, SC, TN, AND VA.

## LIVE SPENT LIGHT FOWL

Prices are continue to trend steady for the light demand. Offerings of light type hens are fully sufficient for current needs. Processing schedules increased slightly. Movement of finished product sales are moderate. Market activity is slow to moderate. The majority price for removal costs remains unchanged at 0-7 cents per head. Retail feature activity is light with the majority of interest being in the Southeast.

(live hens are predominately egg-layers averaging about 3.5 lbs. live weight per bird.) Eastern region = AL, CT, DE, GA, KY, MA, MD, ME, MS, NC, NH, NJ, NY, PA, RI, SC, TN, VA, VT, and WV; North Central = IA, IL, IN, MI, MN, ND, NE, OH, SD, WI; South Central = AR, CO, KS, LA, MO, NM, OK, TX.

## READY-TO-COOK FOWL

### Midwest Region Negotiated Prices to First Receivers

(cents/lb. delivered to first receivers; US Grade A and Plant Grade)

	Price Range
Ice Packed (12/box):	80.0 - 86.0
Vacuum Packed (6-9/box):	85.0 - 90.0

Midwest region = IL, IN, MI, MO, OH, and WI

## LIVE FOWL AUCTIONS

### Hackettstown, NJ - Tue Aug. 12

		Price Range	Avg.
Heavy Fowl	each:	2.75 9.50	6.76
	per pound:	2.40	

### Graystone Small Animal, Manheim, PA - Tue Aug. 12

Red Fowl	5-6 lbs:	0.95 1.00	per pound
	4-5 lbs:	0.65 0.80	per pound
Crossbred Fowl	5-9 lbs:	0.90 1.10	per pound

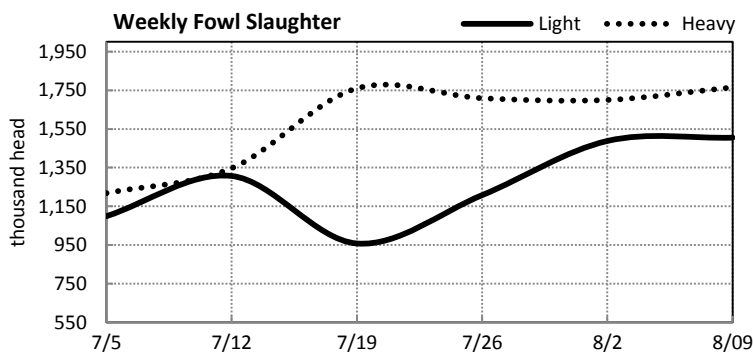
## LIVE FOWL SLAUGHTER

### Weekly Fowl Slaughtered Under Federal Inspection

Week ending 08-09-14

	Head	Avg Wt	RTC Wt	Dress%
Light Hens:	1,505	3.20	2,601	54%
Heavy Hens:	1,765	8.17	9,373	65%
Total Hens:	3,270	5.88	11,974	--

(head and ready-to-cook weight in thousands; avg. wght in lbs.)



## RETAIL FOWL FEATURING

### Supermarket featuring during the week of 08/15 to 08/21

(ad prices in \$/lb)		Light Hens		Heavy Hens	
Region	Stores	Wtd Avg	Stores	Wtd Avg	
	47	1.03	64	1.26	
Northeast			47	1.29	
Southeast	47	1.03			
Midwest					
South Central			17	1.19	
Southwest					
Northwest					

<sup>1/</sup> %'s reflect feature activity relative to the sample size of each region.

### Relative Fowl Featuring by Region <sup>1/</sup>

